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MAYSVILLE, KENTUCKY, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1914.

A Mother's Appeal to the Business Men of Maysville

It is a shame in the face of a civilized Maysville for so many business men to take the stand they have taken against the abolition of the saloon. Evidently we are only half civilized or we would not have tolerated these bar-rooms so long in the faces of our boys, fathers and husbands.

In God's name may these men see the error of their way, put aside their greed for supposed gain, and come to their senses sufficiently to be able to see that they have made a bad bargain if "they gain the whole world" out of money made on whiskey if they lose their own boys, and this mother's boy and another mother's boy, and another have wrecked lives and fill drunkards' graves.

Suppose these men are acting from a mercenary motive and that they gain in the contest, can they not see that while they may call themselves business men that they are sowing seeds of destruction, that they are blind leaders of the blind and that as sure as harvest follows seed-time a crop of wrecked lives must result from a "wet" Maysville. Heart strings will continue to be torn asunder and the very earth groan beneath our feet when we are called to lay away in her bosom the wrecked bodies of fathers and sons the remains of debauched and wasted lives, ruined by the saloons that these men seek to fasten upon us.

Now, business men, citizens of dear old Maysville, I have often thought that I would like to live in town for the sake of the conveniences. When my friends have asked me: "What town would you like?" I have always said: "Maysville appeals to me. Her citizenry is so familiar. I would not want to go among strangers. I love

my own the best."

But the dawn of another day came and my eyes were dimmed with tears when last September it came to the time to send our only child, our son, to his first term of High School. It was so hard to commit his tender life into your keeping with so many saloons on all sides and corners. The first thing in sight after leaving his train is a bar-room, a pretty sight to greet the eyes of school boys!

Oh, business men of Maysville, why longer will you insist on keeping these places in our midst when you know too well the danger? We are compelled to send our sons to you if we educate and train them for business. I could only ask God to direct my boy's footsteps. But God will not always be merciful to us if we do not try to help ourselves. So I did the only thing I knew to do. I called to see Prof. Caplinger and asked him please to try to keep my boy under his care and not permit him when not in school to loaf on the streets. I did not know whether at his tender age, my boy's will power would be sufficient to resist all your dangerous temptations. We have no assurance that men are ever old enough to be safe against temptation.

Now, business men of dear old Maysville, I implore you, do not through this mistaken notion of business interests spread snares for the feet of your own boys and for the boys of country mothers who must send their dear ones to you. As far as in you lies place only that which will uplift and enoble before my boy and your own.

Let the accursed saloons with all they stand for go.

A COUNTRY MOTHER.

"You Can Not Legislate Morals into a Man"

The apologists of the Liquor Traffic are continually echoing Mr. Henry Watterson's saying "You can not legislate morals into a man."

No one ever tried; but you can legislate against men conducting in the open and under protection of the law a business that makes other men immoral. This has been done many times and in many places with encouraging degrees of success.

You can not stop murder, theft, gambling, adultery, false swearing and many other evils by law; but you can attach to each a heavy penalty and discourage these evils instead of licensing them.

Heathen China is destroying by law the opium traffic forced on her by Christian England. The yellow man may yet teach the white man the true meaning of civilization.

The Business Men's Association will admit that drinking intoxicating liquors is bad for a man's health, character and business. Not one of them wants his son or his employee to be even a moderate drinker. But they want somebody else's son and somebody else's employee to drink liquor

ville. The country people understand the proposition. The county people understand the proposition.

It is the purpose of the law to conserve the health, character, and business interests of the community by making it easy to do right and hard to do wrong.

The open saloon not only makes it easy to do wrong, but suggests and invites to wrong doing.

The confirmed drinker hunts liquor. The Liquor Traffic hunts men to make them drinkers and spends vast sums of money in seductive advertising in the effort to attract men to drink.

The law can not prevent the drinker from hunting drink, but it can prevent drink hunting the drinker by keeping open-shop and by attractive advertising.

THAT IS WHAT PROHIBITION PROPOSES TO DO.

The advocates of Prohibition have never claimed nor even hoped that it wholly annihilates the drink habit; but they do claim that it will reduce the number of victims of drink to the irreducible minimum.

"NOT GUILTY"

Is Verdict in Famous Reese Clark Case. Defendant Acquitted of Charge of Manslaughter.

The jury in the case of Mr. Reese Clark, charged with manslaughter, yesterday afternoon returned a verdict of not guilty. The case went to the jury yesterday shortly after noon and after being out two and one-half hours the jury returned the above verdict.

The defense was ably handled by Attorneys Worthington, Cochran and Browning, of this city, Grannis of Flemingsburg and Judge Holmes of Carlisle.

The prosecuting attorneys were: Hennessy, Buckner and McCartney.

Mr. Clarke, it will be remembered, shot and killed William White, 19, near Sardis, on Wednesday, May 28, 1913.

He was brought to Maysville and placed in jail. On the 20th he was allowed bail in the sum of \$5,000. He furnished bail and was taken to Wilson Hospital to be treated for injuries he received in his fight with young White. His examining trial was set for June 5th, but on account of Mr. Clark's weakened condition the trial was postponed until June 11th. There was some little difficulty deciding as to whether the crime had been committed in Mason or Robertson county. The ground was surveyed and it was declared to have been committed in Mason. Clarke was tried and held to the grand jury.

Some very eloquent speeches were made by the attorneys on each side.

DR. PORTER HERE SUNDAY NIGHT.

Rev. J. W. Porter, the former popular pastor of the First Baptist Church, Maysville, will speak in the interest of local option at the courthouse Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

As Dr. Porter wishes to reach the voters, the ladies are kindly invited to stay away, as there will be seats only for the men.

FLIER NO. 2

For the next fifteen days we are determined to sell every Buggy and set of Harness in our house, if prices will do it. Read this list:

All Columbus Buggies, regular price \$140, sale price, 127.85, Cash.

All Brockway Buggies, regular price \$135, sale price \$120, Cash.

All \$125 Buggies, during this sale \$110, Cash.

All \$100 Buggies, during this sale \$87.50, Cash.

All \$24 Harness, during this sale \$20.50, Cash.

All \$22 Harness, during this sale \$18.25, Cash.

All \$20 Harness, during this sale \$16.25, Cash.

Now's your time to get your Buggy and Harness, for the cash is what we want. We are determined to sell every article in our house for cost in order to turn them into money.

Don't forget, too! that with every \$1 Cash Purchase you are entitled to a chance on the Two Automobiles to be given away next year.

MIKE BROWN,
THE
SQUARE DEAL MAN.

LUNCHEON SPECIALTIES
You will find HERE more nice things to make your Picnic Lunch appetizing and wholesome than anywhere.

If you are going to take an outing, we will be glad to have you call.

Phone 43.

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Rookwood 30-cent coffee now 25 cents.

11-31 WELL & DAVIS.

ONE COPY—ONE CENT.



You Know It!
A little joy ride
Now and then,
Is very expensive
To most men.

MR. THOMAS ALLISON

One of the Oldest and Most Highly Respected Citizens, Died at His Home in the County, This Morning.

Mr. Thomas Allison, one of the county's most highly respected citizens, died at his home on the Clark's Run Pike this morning at 8:15 o'clock, aged 79 years. His death was due to

senile debility.

Mr. Allison has been in very poor health for some time, but his illness

had been acute only since Monday.

He is survived by his wife and seven

children: Mrs. Charles Hunter, Mrs.

William Durrett, Mrs. John Cochran,

of this county; Mrs. Edward Remick,

of Cincinnati, and Misses Allie and Jessie Allison, and Mr. Robert Allison,

of this county.

Mrs. Allison was formerly Miss Elizabeth Brammer.

Mr. Allison was a member of the

Presbyterian Church at Washington,

and was one of the prominent farmers

of this section.

The funeral arrangements have not

yet been announced, but the burial will

be in the Maysville Cemetery.

HOPE FOR MISS SHANKLIN'S RECOVERY.

There is no change for the worse in

the condition of Miss Ellen Shanklin

and her physician, Dr. Reed, says she

now has more than an even chance for

recovery. Mr. Virgil Rolfe arrived

from Fort Meyers, Florida, yesterday

morning to be at the bedside of his

bride.

Mr. Elmer Hays, who has been at

tending school at Jasper College,

Jasper, Ind., returned yesterday to re-

sume his studies.

Comparison is the greatest buying method

known. When we introduced Gordon Dye Hosiery

we stated facts about the line that time has proved.

Made from selected yarn of at least 35 per cent.

higher grade than is usually put in 25c stockings.

Three-ply heels and toes and four-inch double

tops.

Made on the newest machines which insure a

perfect-fitting leg of extra elasticity.

Each pair has a dye guarantee.

Gordon offers the best values made for 25c and

we invite shrewd buyers to compare it with hosiery

sold elsewhere.

For Women, Misses and Children—the incom-

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Experience has made us feel that many women believe a smartly styled garment must necessarily carry an extravagant price. This is far from true, for there is the identical degree of style in a moderately priced garment that there is in the one commanding a high price.

SUITS, COTAS and CAPE COATS

owe their popularity to their distinctive style and pleasing price. SUITS, \$12.50 to \$35. COTAS, \$10 to \$25.

Our Milliner will take pleasure in showing you some of the newest creations in hats.

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Pure Cider Vinegar
Sour Pickles
Spices of All Kinds

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Waterman Ideal Can't-Leak Fountain Pens
Vest Pocket Safety and Self-filling arrived this week fresh from the factory. Useful every day in the year.

J. T. KACKLEY & CO.
TRUSTWORTHY TRUSSES
Don't go on the theory that a truss is a truss. Care should be taken in the selection of the proper kind. The satisfaction and security that goes with any truss which you buy here costs you nothing extra.

We also carry a full line of Crutches.

M. F. WILLIAMS & CO. THE THIRD STREET DRUGSTORE.

D. HECHINGER & CO.

Maysville's Best Clothing and Shoe Store.

The fittest clothes for our customers are those that fit their tastes, their figures and their position in life.

We've obtained this all round fit in our Fall Clothes at exceedingly moderate prices.

Our Young Men's Fall Suits include last moment models cut on English lines, soft fronts and patch pockets, ranging in prices from \$15 to \$30.

Our line for the plain, conservative dresser, we believe to be the best in the state. We used our utmost diligence to secure this line for the economic buyer. Prices range from \$10 to \$20.

Everything in Overcoats you can imagine from snug-shouldered, full-skirted Balmacaans to conservative cuts with form-fitting backs.

Mackinaw Coats will be more popular than ever. We are going to show a tremendous line of them, beginning in sizes for children, up.

See our new Fall Hats. None like them in town.

D. HECHINGER & CO.



This war, indeed,
Is mixed up so
The more you read
The less you know.
—*Courier-Journal*

WEEKLY SPORT LETTER.
—
C. H. ZUBER.

Cincinnati, September 9.

Another week has passed and the settlement of the question of supremacy in the National League still is as far from decision as ever it was. When the Boston dropped a few games during the tail-end of their dual western trip, there were about all over the circuit of "They've shot their bolt." But recent results show that the Beans are as strong as ever they were, their even break with the Giants on Labor Day keeping them in the swing and enhancing their prospects for landing at the head of the column in a month from now. While Chicago and St. Louis are not to be considered out of the running for the flag, they must be reckoned as long shots, both teams playing a majority of their games from now on on foreign grounds, a handicap that is likely to prove their undoing. Sizing up the two leaders—Boston and New York—and comparing them with the Philadelphia Athletics, who seem to have the American League championship picked up and delivered, brings on the inevitable conclusion that the world's championship will go to the Americans again this year.

The coming Sunday, September 13 will witness a sort of jubilee at Redland Field. In the way of sport there will be a double header between the Reds and the St. Louis Cardinals, these games marking the last appearance of the crew of Huggins on the local lot this season. In the way of real jubilation there will be a presentation to Manager Herzog of the Reds, of a magnificent chest of silver, the gift of friends and admirers who see that the strenuous efforts and loyal service of the Reds' leader should be shown appreciation by the fans who follow the fortunes of the Reds. Many local enthusiasts have contributed to the fund raised to meet the expense of this testimonial, and there also are a number of contributions from outside sources. It sure will be some day for Herzog and for the fans generally.

Efforts are being made by the officials of the Cincinnati Automobile Dealers' Association to have manufacturers of automobiles and aeroplanes exhibit types of war machines in the Fall Auto Show, which will be held in both wings of the Cincinnati Music Hall from October 3 to 10.

According to authentic advices the war in Europe has prevented the closing of a deal by which two American trotting stallions were to have been transferred to European ownership for the sum of \$225,000. The horses in question are Peter the Great (20 1/2) and Peter Volo (20 1/2). Both are owned by W. E. Stokes, owner of the Patchen Wilkes Farm, and while it is to be regretted that Mr. Stokes was unable to cash in on the amount specified, there is some satisfaction to the sport-loving public that these great sires are left to the American breeding industry for a temporary period at least.

About Sept. 20th, Governor Willson and Wm. Marshall Bullitt will begin a 55-days' whirlwind campaign of the State, aiming to visit every county.

Attorney General Gregory attended his first cabinet meeting Tuesday.

FOOD FACTS.

What An M. D. Learned.

A prominent Georgia physician went through a food experience which he makes public.

"It was my own experience that first led me to advocate Grape-Nuts food and I also know, from having prescribed it to convalescents and other weak patients, that the food is a wonderful builder and restorer of nerve and brain tissue, as well as muscle. It improves the digestion and sick patients gain very rapidly, just as I did in strength and weight.

"I was in such a low state that I had to give up my work entirely, and went to the mountains of this state, but two months there did not improve me; in fact, I was not as well as when I left home.

"My food did not sustain me and it became plain that I must change. Then I began to use Grape-Nuts food and in two weeks I could walk a mile without fatigue, and in five weeks returned to my home and practice, taking up hard work again. Since that time I have felt as well and strong as I ever did in my life.

"As a physician who seeks to help all sufferers, I consider it a duty to make these facts public." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

"Trial 10 days of Grape-Nuts, when regular food does not seem to sustain the body, works wonders. There's a reason."

Look in pgs. for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

Ever read the above letter? A now one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

"JOHNNY REBS"

Otherwise Known As "Morgan's Raiders," Have Grand Reunion At Olympian Springs.

(Nicholas Advocate.)

The Eleventh Annual Reunion of Morgan's Men was held at Olympian Springs last week and about one hundred veterans were in attendance. The comrades attending from this city all report a splendid reunion.

On Wednesday Colonel Polk Johnson read the following letter written by Mrs. Lizzie Smith, mother of the late R. Keller:

"Hon. Polk Johnson,
"Olympian Springs, Ky.
"Dear Sir—It is gratifying to an old mother's heart to know that her dear son is still remembered by his comrades. Had he been spared he would have been right among you. God bless you all."

"Green Keller's Mother,
"ELIZABETH SMITH,"
"Now in my eighty-ninth year."

Colonel Johnson and the mother of Mrs. Smith and the mother of Frank Day of Mt. Sterling, who is more than 90 years of age, were probably the only mothers of Confederate veterans living in the State, if not in the whole South. Colonel Johnson read two war poems at the request of the ladies present. One of the poems follows:

THE VETERANS' PARADE
"Gilt my old knapsack, Mary, gilt my uniform of gray;
Gilt my battered helmet, Mary, I'll need them all today;
Gilt my caanteen and my leggins, hand me down my empty gun,
For I'm goin' out paradin' with the Boys of '61."

Never mind the blood stains, Mary,
Never mind that ragged hole;
They were made there by a bullet,
that was searching for my soul.
Just brush off them cobwebs, Mary,
git my bonnie flag of blue,
For I'm goin' out paradin' with the Boys of '61.

This uniform don't... me as it did when I was young.
Don't you recollect how neatly to me only found it clung?
Never mind that sleeve that's empty,
let it dangle loose and free—
For I'm goin' out paradin' with the Boys of '61.

Draw my sword belt tighter, Mary, put the straps beneath my chin;
I'm growing old and threadbare like my uniform, and thin;
But I reckon I'll pass muster like I did in days of yore,
For I'm goin' out paradin' with the Boys of '61.

Now I'm ready—kiss me, Mary, kiss your old sweetheart goodbye,
Push away those teardrops, Mary, Lord, I didn't think you'd cry!
I ain't goin' out to battle, Cheer up, Mary, sakes alive!
I'm just goin' out paradin' with the Boys of '61.

COL. POLK JOHNSON WRITES OF HIS MARYVILLE VISIT.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 31. Capt. Thomas A. Davis, Maryville, Ky.

My dear old friend—When I recently had the pleasure of spending several very pleasant hours with you at Maryville, you will recall my mentioning an editorial in an Ohio paper referring to you, and I by name. Today I came across it and enclose it herewith.

At the time of receiving the paper I marked on the margin the name of the editor, but cannot recall ever meeting him, though you probably know him. I am going tomorrow to a reunion of Morgan's Men, and wish you could be there. Three former Federal officers are honorary members of the association, as I am also, though never with Morgan.

Sincerely,
E. POLK JOHNSON.

VETERAN EDITOR.

(Portsmouth, Ohio, Daily Blade.)

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CORRESPONDENCE

TOLESDORO

Tom Arnold and Miss Stella Smalley were invited in marriage by Judge Rice, at Maysville, on Thursday, the 3rd inst. Why do not more of the preachers take Josh Billings' advice. "A preacher that can't strike lie in four minutes, has either got a poor nigger or is boring in the wrong place."

Mrs. Lucy Maxey of Arkansaw City, Kan., is visiting her sister, Mrs. I. M. Tracy.

Misses Maud Baugh and Tillie Bryant of Portsmouth, former residents of Toleboro, were associated with relatives and friends here, from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. Ryan and daughter, Miss Bettie, of Portsmouth, were visitors at the home of Mr. C. N. Bryant over Sunday.

—Misses Lucille and Mary Elizabeth, the charming little daughters of W. Vischer Burdick of the railway mail service, on the C. & O., returned to their home in Fort Thomas, on Monday last, accompanied by their father, after a six weeks' pleasure visit with their grandfather, Dr. W. T. Burdick, at this place.

Rev. H. D. Cooper, who has been pastor of the M. E. church, for the past three years, returned from Conference on Monday, last, having been assigned to Dayton, Ky., for the ensuing church year. The Dayton church has elected an able pulpit orator, an earnest worker, and a genuine Christian gentleman. Rev. Cooper will be succeeded here by Rev. Carroll.

The stockholders of the Toleboro Telephone Company, at their annual meeting here, on Saturday last, elected the following directors for the ensuing year: B. C. Grigsby, Henry Henderson, P. B. Henderson, Floyd Tidly, Harley Wilson, Harry Nash and E. C. Blount. The Board of Directors organized by electing Hon. B. C. Grigsby President; Dr. W. T. Burdick Secretary and the Bank of Toleboro Treasurer. The company is in a prosperous condition and some extensions are contemplated.

Our citizens were agreeably surprised upon the announcement of the appointment of Rev. C. B. Plummer as District Superintendent for the Ashland District in place of Rev. Dr. Dickerson, resigned. Rev. Plummer, only son of John Plummer of this place, was raised here and is a product of our common schools. He is widely known and universally respected, and we bespeak for him a successful incumbency.

Rev. Luther Godby, youngest son of Rev. L. R. Godby, former pastor of the M. E. church here, will have charge of the Wallingford Circuit during this conference year. Luther is rapidly coming to the front as a pulpit orator.

ORANGEBURG.

Gardens and field crops are growing finely as a result of the recent bountiful rains.

Miss Lula Collis, who has been quite sick for several days, is able to be out again.

H. S. Young contemplates a removal to Maysville in the near future.

D. H. Campbell is erecting a handsome brick dwelling on the site of his old house.



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Tempt the appetite,
please the taste and
nourish the body.
Crisp, clean and fresh
5 cents.

Baronet Biscuit

Round, thin, tender—
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appropriate for lunch-
eon, tea and dinner.
10 cents.

GRAHAM CRACKERS

Made of the finest
ingredients. Baked
to perfection. The
national strength
food. 10 cents.

Buy biscuit baked by

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Always look for that Name.

LEXINGTON SALOONS

To Be Subject To Stringent Regulations Under New Ordinance.

Lexington, Ky.—By a vote of three to two the new saloon ordinance separating the saloons from the groceries and other lines of business, increasing the annual license from \$500 to \$750 and providing for the gradual reduction of the number of saloons in Lexington to 75, was passed by the Board of City Commissioners after one of the longest sessions in the history of that body.

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ABOUT OUR

SPECIAL SUITS

We are selling for men at \$7.50, but look in our east window and see a few suits we are selling for this price. None worth less than \$12.50 and none over \$15. Only a few. Come in and find your size and a good big bargain. Most of these suits may be worn the year around.

Geo. H. Frank & Co.
Maysville's Foremost Clothiers.



Miss Bessie Wells is in Cincinnati pur-
chasing her fall and winter supply of
millinery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie White will leave
today for Florida, where they will spend
the coming winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamlet C. Sharp have
returned home after a visit to friends
at Eminence, Ky.

Mr. James W. Elgin, General Agent
for the Mutual Benefit Co., is in Ash-
land on business.

Mr. Fletcher Jones, of Millersburg,
was a delightful caller at the Public
Library yesterday morning.

Chief of Police James Mackey, is in
Maysville this morning attending the
funeral of Mr. John Condon.

Mr. Roland Mossman of Huntington,
W. Va., was the guest of Mr. C. C.
Early for the dance last night.

Mr. Fielding Rogers and Mr. Jones,
both of North Middletown, Ky., were
here last night to attend the dance.

Mrs. Gustave Baumann leaves Friday
for her home in Chicago, after a very
delightful visit at the home of Rev.
John Barbour.

Miss Allie Wells has returned to
Portland, Oregon, after spending the
summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Robert Wells of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sinniger of
Brown county, Ohio, are visiting Mrs.
Sinniger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B.
Sudding of East Fourth street.

Miss Matilda James of Paris, came
down yesterday to attend the dance last
night. While here she is the guest
of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mathews.

Mrs. Hugh Nesbitt and two sons leave
today for their home in Washington,
D. C., after a most delightful visit
to Mrs. Mollie Nesbitt, on East Second
street.

Mr. Charles F. Owens of the county,
left yesterday morning for Anderson,
Ind., to attend the State Fair. During
his visit he will be the guest of Rev.
A. Boyd Jones.

Mrs. Joe Frank and daughter, Miss
Joe Hord, of Flemingsburg, who have
been visiting the Misses Frank of East
Second street, leave Friday for a trip
to New York City.

Mrs. Eliza Stonecipher has returned
to her home in Cambridge City, Ind.,
after visit to Mr. and Mrs. H. J. B.
Marshall. She was accompanied by
Miss Anna Eppenstein, who goes to
make her a short visit.

Miss Florence Hughes of Lexington,
who has been the guest of Miss Martha
Wood of the county for several days,
leaves Monday with Miss ... and for Lexington,
where both ladies will take up
their studies at State University.

GERMANS RETREAT

(Continued from first page.)

unchanged."

Up to early afternoon no further of-
ficial light had been thrown on what is
probably the greatest battle of the
war being fought east of Paris from
Montaillor to Verdun, and from Ver-
dun to Nancy. Three million men are
said to be engaged.

Emperor Will Flee to America If He
Loses, Says London Paper.

London.—In the event of Germany's
defeat in the big war, the Kaiser prob-
ably would take refuge in America,
according to the London Financial
News, which says:

"There can be no doubt that the
defeat of Germany in the present war
means for the Kaiser one of two things:
Either death by his own hand or some-
body else's hand, or else flight to non-
Teutonic soil."

"Ever since Germany began to make
preparations for an attack, the Kaiser
has been investing large sums of money
on the other side of the Atlantic. He
is one of the largest land owners in the
Western states, but not in his own name
of course.

"He owns considerable sections of
property in Western Canada. These
investments in America indicate plainly
that the Kaiser, at the time when he
was preparing to stake the fortunes
of his dynasty upon the attempted con-
quest of Western Europe, also was
preparing for the possibility of failure
by consolidating his huge financial re-
sources in the United States and the
neighboring Dominion, in case he has to
escape to that part of the world."

"If he cannot loss Western Europe,
the Kaiser means to have the finest
house on Fifth avenue."

Bordeaux, via London, Sept. 9.—In
the following official communica-
tion was issued here this afternoon:

"On the whole the Germans appear
to be beginning a movement of retreat.
The strategic position of the French
troops is improving, but one can not
judge a battle extending over 100
kilometers (62 miles). The Germans
seem to experience difficulty in provi-
sioning. In general the French troops
seem to be gaining the advantage."

The following official bulletin was
issued tonight:

"On the left wing all the German
attempts to break the French line on
the bank of the Ourcq river have failed.
We have taken two standards. The
British army has crossed the Marne and
the enemy has fallen back about
twenty-five miles. On the center and
right wing there is no notable change."

Allied Armies Still Have Advantage.

London, Eng., Sept. 9.—The allied
armies continue to have the advantage
according to French official reports, on
what can only be the preliminaries of
a great battle extending from Meaux
northeast of Paris to Verdun, about
200 miles further east.

The Germans, who have brought up
reinforcements, are attacking along a
front of fifty miles, but each time have
been driven back.

This is not surprising to military men,
as the Germans have been compelled to
advance through the swamps of the
Petit Morin and then over bars up-
wards to the strong French position on
the right. It is their only chance, how-
ever, and it is expected that they will
strike and strike again.

They are bringing their reinforce-
ments down from Chalons in the face
of the French artillery, posted on the
heights, which give it a great ad-
vantage.

Kaiser Cables Protest to President
Wilson.

Washington, Sept. 9.—President Wil-
son received today a personal cable
from Emperor William, of Ger-
many, protesting against the use by
the allied army of dum-dum bullets
and the participation in the war by
civilians of Belgium. The message ex-
pressed also the German Emperor's deep
regret at the destruction of the Belgian
City of Louvain.

"My heart bleeds for Louvain," is
one of the phrases which the Emperor
is understood to have used. He de-
clared, however, that the population o-

It is reported that three hundred Eng-
lish returning from the Grand Lodge meet-
ing at Denver had a narrow escape from
death when Rio Grande train No. 3
lacked six inches of plowing fifty feet
over a long stretch five miles west of
Glenwood Springs. The second passenger
was derailed and the engineer brought
the train to a stop as the front track
hung over the trestle.

The initial fall meeting of the Forest
Avenue Parents-Teacher Association
will be held Friday afternoon at 3
o'clock. Every member is urged to
be present, as business of importance
is to be transacted.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Catholic
Benevolent Society will be held this evening at 7:30 in the First
National Bank Building.

The weather continues very cool for
the season, and many homes turned on
the gas stoves last night and this
morning.

Mrs. Holt Richeson has returned to
Lexington, where she will take up her
work at Hamilton College.

Miss Beulah Ingram of East Fourth
street is visiting Capt. and Mrs. D. R.
Thompson at Lexington.

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chasing and sales departments if we can reach an output of
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And should we reach this production, we agree to pay as
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1, 1915) to every retail buyer who purchases a new Ford car
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